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Petition to Cancel (ly letter)

August 11, 2005

Elizabeth Rolando, Chief Clerk Illinois Commerce Commission 527 East Capital Avenue Springfield, IL 62701

RE:

Tralee Telephone Company, LLC

Dear Ms. Rolando:

We are the attorneys for Tralee Telephone Company, LLC (hereinafter "Tralee"). The Illinois Commerce Commission ("Commission") previously authorized Tralee to provide intrastate telecommunications services in Docket No. 02-0406. Tralee has no customers in Illinois. Tralee no longer intends to retain authority in the State of Illinois.

Accordingly, we respectfully request that the Commission cancel Tralee's authority effective immediately.

Enclosed is a duplicate of this letter. Please stamp the duplicate received and return same in the postage-paid envelope attached thereto.

Please forward any additional forms or requirements, correspondence, or questions to me.

Very truly yours,

EARLY), LENNON, CROCKER & BARTOSIEWICZ, P.L.C.

Patrick D. Crocker

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## **VERIFICATION**

This request shall be verified under oath.

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Patrick D. Crocker makes oath and says that he is Attorney of Tralee Telephone

Company, LLC that he has examined the foregoing request and that to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief, all statements of fact contained in the said request are true, and the said request is a correct statement of the business and affairs of the above-named applicant in respect to each and every matter set forth therein.

Patrick D. **¢**rócker

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a <u>Notary Public</u> in the State and County above named, this <u>26<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>August</u>, 2005.

Notary Public: Susan E. Ritchie Commission Expires: 08/14/10

Cass Acting in Kalamazoo County, Michigan